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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to novel, non-secosteroidal, hydroxyl substituted, carbon- linked diaryl compounds with vitamin D receptor (VDR) modulating activity that are less hypercalcemic than 1 $\alpha$ ,25 dihydroxy vitamin D<sub>3</sub>. These compounds are useful for treating bone disease and psoriasis.

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